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DALLAS, OREGON, JAN. 17, 1911.

The way to build up Dallas is to fa-
vorize Dallas people.



Already a bill has been introduced
in the Oregon Legislature to revise the
game laws, the object being to short-
en the open season. No such change
is needed for the protection of wild
game in this state. Instead of re-
ducing the number of days in the
shooting season, the legislature should
adopt an amendment providing for
heavier fines for violation of the per-
sonal law. Cutting down the open sea-
son for deer and game birds will in
no way reduce the slaughter, but, on
the contrary, will only hasten the de-
struction. A shorter hunting season
would rush all the hunters into the
woods and fields at one time, and ev-
erything resembling a game animal
or bird would be destroyed. In Min-
nesota, where the shooting season has
been reduced to only 10 or 15 days,
more deer are being slaughtered than
ever before. The new law is having
exactly the opposite effect to that in-
tended by its makers. Minnesota's
experience is the experience of every
state that has sought to protect its
game by reducing the number of days
in the open season. Oregon does not
need a shorter open season. It does,
however, need more severe penalties
for the unlawful killing of game. An
amendment of this character would be
welcomed by every true sportsman in
the state, and would have a deterrent
influence upon the scoundrels who kill
deer and fawns and shoot hen pheas-
ants off their nests.

Polk County's senator and two rep-
resentatives fared well in the distribu-
tion of committee places. Senator
Hawley is chairman of the committee
on agriculture, and is also assigned to
the committee on assessment and tax-
ation, education, printing, resolutions,
and ways and means. Representative
Powell is a member of the committee
on education, and banking. Repre-
sentative Chambers was given a place
on the committee on fisheries. The
Polk County representatives were well
taken care of, considering the fact
that they were on the losing side in the
organization of the house.

Knights Elect Officers.

Marmion Lodge, No. 56, Knights of
Pythias, elected officers for the ensu-
ing six months at a special meeting
last night, as follows:
C. C. F. H. Muncie,
V. C. J. A. Lynch,
President—Frank Riggs,
M. of R.—J. A. Lynch,
K. of R.—S. W. H. Roy,
M. of A.—A. P. Starr,
M. of W.—J. E. McCarter,
I. G.—Claude Richardson,
O. G.—L. F. Thompson.
The newly-elected officers will be in-
stalled tomorrow night. All members
are requested to be present, and visit-
ing knights will be welcomed. Re-
freshments will be served at the close
of the session.

Mission Societies Organized.

Mrs. Myra Miller Stauffer, president
of the Oregon Branch of the Women's
Missionary Society, organized the
children of the United Evangelical
Church and Sunday School into a mis-
sion band last Sunday afternoon. Miss
Etta Phillips was elected superintendent,
and appointments of subordinate
officers will be announced by her at the
next meeting. Sunday evening
Mrs. Stauffer organized a Young Peo-
ple's Missionary society, officers of
which were chosen as follows: Presi-
dent, Miss Lillian McKivier; vice-
president, Miss Etta Phillips; corre-
sponding secretary, Miss Helen Gur-
ney; recording secretary, Miss Mervin
Hall; treasurer, Claude L. Shaw.
Regular meetings will be held on the
last Sunday of each month.

Special Theater Train.

One of the opportunities that come
to Dallas theater-goers but once in
years will be presented on Saturday
night of this week, when Miss Mary
Manning and her strong supporting
company will appear at the Grand
Opera House in Salem in her new play,
"A Man's World." Manager Louis
Gardner of the local railroad, has
kindly consented to furnish a special
train on that evening, if it is desired
by those who wish to attend the play.
Anyone wishing to see the famous
actress in her great play will kindly
report to the Observer office at once,
to the end that seats may be reserved
and other accommodations secured for the party.

Jubilee Singers Coming.

The famous Williams Jubilee Sing-
ers will appear at Woodman Hall in
this city on the evening of Wednes-
day, January 25, under the patronage
of the Women of Woodcraft. These
sweet singers have appeared in con-
cert in Dallas many times and need
no introduction to the readers of the
Observer. The company has just re-
turned from a several months' tour of
Europe. Remember the date in Dal-
las—a week from tomorrow night.
Admission, 25 and 50 cents.

Long Life Ended.

Charles Leonard, of Monmouth, re-
ceived a telegram Friday, announcing
the death of his mother, Mrs. A. K.
Leonard, which occurred in Salisbury,
Massachusetts, at 2 o'clock in the morning
of that day. Mrs. Leonard was 83
years old, and her death was the re-
sult of a general physical decline. Mrs.
Leonard had visited in Oregon and
had many friends in Polk County who
remember her as a woman of many
noble qualities.

DALLAS STILL IN THE LEAD

College Basketball Team Stands
Highest in League Games.

Dallas College basketball team has
played half the number of league
games scheduled for this winter, and
remains at the top of the list, with no
games lost. Last Friday night, at
Chemawa, they outplayed the Indians
by a score of 36 to 10. On the follow-
ing Saturday evening they defeated
the McMinnville team in the local
gymnasium by 29 to 20, in one of the
fastest games seen here for a long
time. McMinnville started briskly,
with a lead of 8 to 2, but by the end
of the first half the count stood 14 to
15 in Dallas' favor.

The Willamette College Basketball
League, composed of Dallas College,
McMinnville College, Philomath Col-
lege, Pacific University and the Che-
mawa Indian School, has played seven
games thus far and has 14 games yet
to play to complete the series. The
percentage to date is as follows:

Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Dallas College	4	0.1000
Chemawa Indians	1	2.333
McMinnville College	1	2.333
Philomath College	1	2.333
Pacific University	0	1.000

"The Dallas quintet has been play-
ing in great form thus far and unless
some of their competitors get in and
improve their game," quotes a Che-
mawa critic, "they will be easy win-
ners of the league, repeating last
year's record."

The games played thus far resulted
as follows:

December 9—Philomath College at
Dallas; score, 44 to 14; won by Dal-
las.

December 17—McMinnville College
at Philomath; score, 46 to 19; won by
Philomath.

January 6—Dallas College at Philo-
math; score, 23 to 13; won by Dallas.

January 7—McMinnville College at
Chemawa; score, 45 to 13; won by
McMinnville.

January 13—Dallas College at Che-
mawa; score, 26 to 10; won by Dal-
las.

January 14—Chemawa Indians at
Forest Grove; score, 33 to 30; won by
Chemawa.

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Dallas; score, 29 to 20; won by Dallas.

The games yet to be played to com-
plete the series are as follows:

January 20—Philomath College at
McMinnville.

January 25—Pacific University at
Philomath.

January 28—Pacific University at
Chemawa.

February 3—Pacific University at
McMinnville.

February 4—Chemawa Indians at
Philomath.

February 10—Philomath College at
Chemawa.

February 17—Chemawa Indians at
Dallas.

February 18—McMinnville College
at Forest Grove.

February 24—Pacific University at
Dallas.

February 24—Chemawa Indians at
McMinnville.

March 3—Dallas College at Forest
Grove.

March 4—Dallas College at Mc-
Minnville.

NEWS OF PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Comings and Goings as Told by Our
Exchanges.

Will Ridgeway returned from Dallas
on Saturday.—Pillmoor Herald.

A. J. Larsen, of Dallas, was in the
city Saturday.—Independence Enter-
prise.

Miss Mabel Grant, of Dallas, visited
her friends in Falls City last week.—
Falls City News.

Ross Nelson made a business trip
to this city from Independence, yes-
terday.—Corvallis Republican.

Alfred Vick returned to Dallas
Sunday, to attend college. He will
graduate next June.—Falls City News.

P. M. Taylor, of Dallas, has opened
a shooting gallery on the corner of
First and C streets.—Independence
Enterprise.

Miss Nora Walker left Wednesday
for her home in Monmouth, after
spending a week visiting Philomath
friends.—Corvallis Republican.

Miss Elizabeth Denny, who is teach-
ing the higher grades at the Hayville
school, visited with her aunt, Mrs. Hin-
shaw, at Dallas.—Salem Statesman.

Albert Tidman and wife have
moved to their new home near Falls
City. They will be missed by their
many friends of Scrawell Hill.—Jefferson
Review.

Mr. Chute and daughter, Blanche,
and the former's mother, Mrs. Han-
sen, went to Monmouth to remove
some household goods of Mrs. Hansen
to the home of Mr. Chute, near Jef-
ferson.—Jefferson Review.

J. W. Hooker has gone to the Dallas
Hospital to have a surgical operation
performed. His only worry is that the
half dozen surgeons who are to take
part in the performance will not be
enough, as he has a liking for large
audiences.—Falls City News.

Leslie and Lamar Toms, of Falls
City, visited Ray Durant over last
Thursday night. The twins are mainly
little fellows, and they were glad to
see Woodburn again, finding much
change and improvement since their
residence here. They reported their
father, Walter L. Toms, home from
Mexico, but will return there soon.—
Woodburn Independent.

L. E. Poe, of Dallas, Polk County,
who has relatives living in this city,
was reported seriously ill and his
two brothers, J. R. and P. S. Poe,
of Roseburg, at once for the bed-
side of the sick man. Mrs. A. Hall,
who is a sister of Mr. Poe, received
word from Dallas yesterday that he
was apparently a trifle improved.
Since, however, Mr. Poe is suffering
from hemorrhage of the lungs, she
anxiously awaits further news con-
cerning the invalid brother.—Rose-
burg News.

Dr. R. P. Rand, dentist, with Dr.
Hayter, dentist.

Condensed Milk Plant.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Jan. 16.—The
Coca Hay Creamery Company, operat-
ing a creamery on Coca River, has
made plans for starting a condensed
milk plant. The company has a mar-
ket for all the condensed milk that it
can manufacture, provided a certain
amount is turned out every year. A
committee has been appointed to se-
lect stock to the amount of \$10,000
from the farmers.

Dr. Lowe, February 1 and 2.

OREGON GROWS BIG THINGS

A Few of the Products Which Make
Soil Famous.

To show that Oregon has something
to be proud of in the way of "big
things," David Mossesohn, editor of
the Chamber of Commerce Bulletin
and president of the Portland Ad Club,
has compiled a few exceptional evi-
dences of the wonderful productivity
of Oregon's virgin soil. He has been
compiling these facts since the advent
of last year's crop and says it ex-
ceeds anything to be found in any
other place in the world. He devoted
considerable time to gathering the evi-
dence, and the results of his work are
to be found in the following items:

A Hillsboro parsnip is 31 inches
long and 4 1/2 inches in diameter.

Woman near Dallas cleared \$2200
on her prune crop raised on 13 acres.

From 500 trees of Spitzenberg and
Ben Davis apples a Medford man mar-
keted four carloads of fruit for \$5000.

Oregon boasts a parsnip which
weighs 20 pounds. It will take more
than kind words to butter that par-
snip.

A Wallawa County potato vine that
grew on new ground is said to have at-
tained the height of 6 feet and 1 inch,
and produced 40 tubers, weighing 16
pounds.

Man near Lebanon a few days ago,
at a depth of 250 feet, struck a flow
of soda water which is about the same
strength as that at Sodaville and Wa-
terloo.

L. A. Wright, Mayor of Union, has
a registered Jersey cow that cost him
\$150 a little over two years ago. From
this cow's increase Mr. Wright has
sold already \$325 worth of stock and
has the original cow left.

Man brought to Corvallis a stalk of
what was recognized as hemp, it hav-
ing grown in his garden to a height of
14 feet. Hemp being a valuable prod-
uct, he proposes to find out whether
this is of the commercial variety.

Man near Lebanon sold from 1 1/2
acres of melons in 1909, \$290; in 1907,
from 1 1/2 acres of melons, \$478. Sold
in 1909, from 1 1/2 acres of straw-
berries, \$490.75; also grew 2100 bush-
els of potatoes on six acres, and anoth-
er year \$1755 worth on eight acres.

In the new Wallawa County beet
fields the best yields averaged over 14
tons per acre for the entire field, while
the best small fields averaged fully
20 tons per acre. The total for the
entire crop has been satisfactory, and
the company expects to produce three
times as much next season.

A few miles, Malheur County, man
raised 9240 pounds of clover seed from
1 1/2 acres of land, netting him
\$1128.80; sold 3 1/2 tons of hay from
same land before his crop of seed
was started on it, and then sold the
chaff from the threshed seed at \$3.50
per ton. He also raised 117 bushels
of oats on 1 acre.—Oregonian.

Church Officers Elected.

At the annual business meeting of
the United Evangelical Church, held
last week, A. J. Barham and George
Scott were elected to serve on the
board of trustees, with A. W. Teas,
C. L. Shaw and Professor D. M. Met-
calf. President C. L. Winter was elected
church clerk. The church society
was re-organized into three classes, of
which Professor D. M. Metzger, M. B.
Young and O. C. Ramsdell were se-
lected as leaders. Officers for the
Sunday School were chosen, as fol-
lows: M. B. Young, superintendent;
Professor H. H. Dunkelberger, assist-
ant superintendent; Miss Gladys Wil-
son, secretary; Miss Luecke, treasurer.

Installation Postponed.

The installation ceremonies of Al-
mira Lodge of Rebekahs, No. 26, of
Dallas, which were announced to take
place Wednesday evening, January 18,
have been indefinitely postponed.

Sandy and gravelly soils do not need
to be drained.

Registration of Land Title.

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to-wit:

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of the real property in the estate of
J. E. Syron, deceased, and more par-
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post set 39.12 chains East and 3.20
chains South from the South East cor-
ner of section 16 in township 6
South range 6 West, said post being
20 chains South of the South East cor-
ner of the Wesley Lynch D. L. C.
and running thence East 29
chains to a post, thence North 29
chains to a stake, from which an oak
12 inches in diameter bears South
27 1/2 degrees West 234 links, thence
South 24 chains to a stake, from
which an oak 6 inches in diameter
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links, thence South 23 1/2 chains to
the place of beginning, containing 65
acres, said land being in Polk
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show cause why the said application
shall not be granted the same will be
taken as confessed, and a decree will
be entered according to the prayer of
the application and you will be forever
barred and estopped from disputing
the same.

In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal of
said court this 4th day of January,
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W. O. Sims, Attorney for the Appli-
cant.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of
Oregon for Polk County, Department
No. 2.

Bessie Boughton, Plaintiff, v. George
H. Boughton, Defendant, No. 2572.

To George H. Boughton, the above-
named defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon:
You are hereby required to appear and
answer the complaint filed against you
in the above-entitled cause and suit
within six weeks from the date of the
first publication of this summons, to-
wit, on or before the first day of Feb-
ruary, 1911; and if you fail so to an-
swer, for want thereof the plaintiff will
apply to said court for a decree as
prayed for in said complaint, viz.:
That the marriage contract now and
heretofore existing between the plain-
tiff and the defendant be forever an-
nulled and dissolved, that the future
care and custody of Almada Inge
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minor children of plaintiff and defend-
ant, be awarded to plaintiff, and that
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John Hostetter, Plaintiff, vs. Riley
Rhodes, Leander Rhodes, Joseph

For Sale.
Oak and Cedar posts.
Warehouse Company.
11-15-11.

For Sale.
Four fine S. C. White Leghorn
cockerels. Phone Green 35, or address
Mrs. Anna Brock, Dallas.
1-3-11

Wanted.
Wanted, 20 or 30 good, fresh dairy
cows. R. A. Campbell, Sheridan, Ore-
gon.
12-6-11.

Wanted.
All kinds of iron, rubber, brass, cop-
per, zinc and hides. Highest cash
prices paid. A. N. Halleck, Monmouth,
Oregon.
3-12-11.

Horses Trained.
How about those colts you want
trained this Spring? I will train all
colts either single or double, or both
ways. Most scientific methods used.
Terms reasonable. Cecil L. Riggs,
Rickreall, Oregon. Phone S. F. No. 2.
—5a.
12-25-10.

Your Winter's Wood.
Order your slab wood now and be
sure of having a good dry supply for
Winter. I can sell you either slabs,
blocks, or trimmings. Can furnish any
other kind of wood desired. Plenty of
good oak and fir. Send in your orders
by either phone. Mutual, 1196 Bell,
443.
AUGUST BOMAN.

Proposal For Bids.
Sealed bids will be received at the
office of the Auditor & Police Judge
of the City of Dallas, Oregon, until 12
o'clock, noon, January 16, 1911, for
the construction of retaining walls
and bottom for a concrete conduit on
the West side of Main street, between
the 3rd and 4th blocks of Levee, as
described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Northeast corner
of Block 2, Original Town of Dallas,
Oregon, thence South 100 feet; thence
West 160 feet; thence South 50 feet;
thence West 27 feet; thence North
150 feet; thence East 127 feet to the
place of beginning.

That said retaining wall and bottom
will be constructed of cement and in
accordance with the plans and speci-
fications now on file in the office of
the Auditor & Police Judge of the City
of Dallas, Oregon.

The City reserves the right to reject
any and all bids.

Done by order of the City Council
of the City of Dallas, Oregon, made on
the 3rd day of January, 1911.

Witness my hand and the official
seal of said City of Dallas, Oregon,
this 5th day of January, A. D. 1911.
(SEAL). CHAS. GREGORY,
Auditor & Police Judge of Dallas, Ore-
gon.

Street Assessment Notice.

To Frank Cummins and Heirs of W.
C. Brown, deceased.

You are hereby notified that the City
Council of the City of Dallas, Ore-
gon, has estimated the cost of the
street improvement (sidewalk) on that
part of Maple Street adjacent and
adjoining lot 1 in block 18, Edin-
burgh Addition to Dallas, Oregon; also on that
part of Stump Street adjacent to and
adjoining lot 3 in block 15, Levee
LaCroix Homestead Addition to Dal-
las, Oregon, as in Ordinance No. 150
passed to be made to be 25 cents
for each linear foot of such work.

You are further notified that the
City Council of the City of Dallas, Ore-
gon, in said City on the 18th day of
January, 1911, at 8:45 o'clock in the
evening for the purpose of appor-
tioning the cost of such improvement
and assessing upon each lot or parcel
of ground liable therefor its propor-
tionate share of such cost, and
That all owners and other persons in
interest may attend at such place and
show cause, if any they have, why
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